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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I've lived in other countries and know first hand how badly served the United States is when it comes to broadband. We pay much more money for much worse service, due to the lack of competition.

I just left ComcastHallelujah!and signed up for newly available fiber internet from a local company (LMI). It is unbelievably fast (about 10 times as fast as the DSL I had with Comcast) and costs much less. And the customer service is terrific. (It's as if the low quality and high price of Comcast was due to fact that they have no need to compete.) I'm lucky that I live in one of the very limited areas where such service is available.

Please don't move things backward by selling out citizens like me to the giant telecom companies with a misguided policy change. It's not a complicated issue. Please do the right thing. Stand up for competition!

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